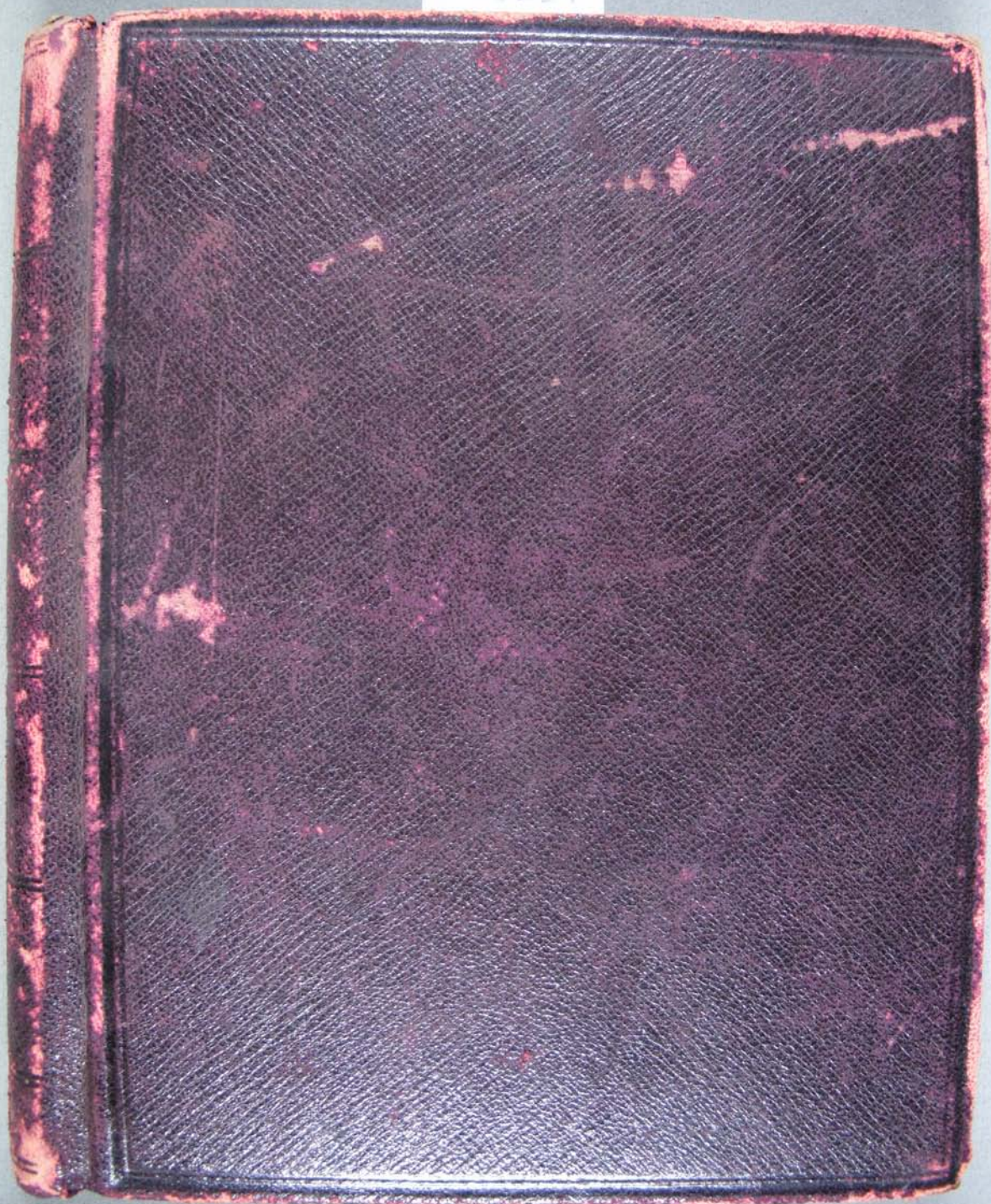


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Executive Committee.

Tuesday Feb 15th 1899. at the Office
at 5 p.m.

Present

Mr. Franklin (chair)

Mrs. Webb

Lady Kennett Barington

Mr. Glaser

Mr. Perrin

Mr. Anson

Mrs. Blogg.

1 Minutes of the last meeting were read
and confirmed.

2 Finance was reported as follows.

Balance at Bank £66. 5. 6. Petty

submitted and passed for payment

Correll 28. 12. 9. Blogg. 6. 13. 4

Petty Cash 5. 0. 0 Clerical fees £1. 1

leaving a Balance of 24. 18. 5.

Total Assets 147. 4. 2.

Total Liabilities 68. 18. 5 Balance 78. 5. 9

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3. Lady Aberdeen's letter declining to accept the office of President of the Union was read. Mrs. Blogg was instructed to place the matter on the agenda for the next Committee.
4. A letter from Mrs. Sandberg (Utrecht Holland) was read asking for information ^{with a view to} the starting of a Parents Union in Holland.
5. New Branches proposed Wrescham and Pietermaritzburg (Natal). It was decided that these names should not for the present be placed upon the list published in the "Parents Review".
6. Letters were read from the Secretaries of the Enfield & Highgate Branches. Enfield owing to want of interest had practically died out.

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- Highgate to remain inactive for the present.
7. Report of Branches.
 Mrs. Glover reported she had been to Leaves and addressed an interested audience. Mr. Franklin said she had good meetings at Burkinhead and Derby, and a successful inaugural meeting at Darlington - a very small meeting at Weybridge. Mrs. Webb had addressed a meeting at Eastbourne had a fair attendance, and a new Secretary for the Branch was elected. Mrs. Blogg reported that she had a very small meeting at Hampstead.
 8. The next Committee to be summoned for Wednesday March 13th.
 H. Hansen
 March 15/99

Conference Sub Committee

Tuesday Feb 28th at 14 Nottingham Place

W. L. Pym.

Present.

Mr. Franklin (chair) Mr. Glover, Lady Campbell, Miss Webb, Mr. Schofield, Miss Blogg.

1. Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

2. Further details as to arrangements for the Conference.

May 11th 11 to 11.45 Mr. Gordon

May 12th 11.15 to 12 Miss Montagu on "The Training of Citizens" Chair Lady Campbell

3. It was decided that ^{Lady Folkestone or Lady Eden} Mr. Stenithal should propose vote of thanks to chairman at the Conversazione, to be seconded by Mr. Phillpotts or Sir V. Tennant Barrington. Mr. Stenithal to propose vote of

Thanks to Mr. Sadler to be seconded by Mr. Guy Pym.

4. The objects of the "P.H.E." to be printed on the back of the Conference tickets & invitations to Conversazione.

Jan 31.00. Helen Webb.

Executive Committee

At the office on Wednesday March 15th
at 5 p. m.

Present Mrs Franklin (chair)
Mrs Helen Webb
Mrs Anson
Mrs Whitaker Thompson
Mrs Cote

- 1 Minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed
- 2 A letter was read from Mrs Reppman in Moscow asking whether she could attend the Conference & be permitted to visit the House of Education re with a view to starting a Branch in Moscow.
- 3 Mrs Franklin mentioned a suggestion of Mrs Mason's that with a view to Branches in Holland, Belgium, Japan & Russia it might be necessary to alter the second letter in our title.

It was decided to leave the matter for the present.

- 4 A letter was read from the auditors requesting information as to students who leave Ambleside & ^{number of} members in the various branches
- 5 Mrs Cote proposed & Mrs Anson seconded the adoption of the Balance Sheet - carried
- 6 The annual report as prepared by the Conference Committee was to be read in proof by those of the Committee who had not seen it.
- 7 Mrs Webb proposed & Mrs Anson seconded that the letter Mrs Mason's sanction the Deacons of Sutherland be approached with the view of her nomination as President. carried
- 8 The arrangements made by the Conference Committee were read & discussed

to Butter of Trinity, Prof Macaulay
 & Mr James Bayle were suggested
 as possible chairmen at the conversation

9. Mr Cote proposed & Mrs Anson
 seconded that £5 should be voted
 to Mrs Blagg for her holiday expenses
 - carried

10. The question of printing the paper
 on smaller & better paper was
 discussed. Mrs Blagg was
 asked to ascertain the cost of this

11. The next Committee meeting was
 fixed for April 12th -

Heleen Webb

Apr 12 99.

Executive Committee

Wednesday April 12th at the Office at 5 p.m.

Present Mrs Webb (chair)

Mr Anson

Mr Glover

Mrs Blagg

1. The minutes of the last meeting were
 read and confirmed.

2. Finance reported as follows.

Balance at Bank 118 " 14 " 11.

Bills submitted for payment.

Rent £ 11 " 1 " 0

Corwall (Feb & March) 55 " 14 " 3

Blagg 6 " 13 " 4

Petty Cash 10 " 0 " 0

83 " 8 " 7

leaving a Balance of £ 35 " 6 " 4.

3. The question of chairman for the
 conversation was discussed and the
 following were suggested. Sir John Gore,
 Mr Bryant and Rev. Philip Lockett.

4. The proof of Annual Report was submitted and various alterations and amendments were made.

5. Letters were read from ladies in Moscow & Japan, expressing regret for non-attendance at the Conference, and sympathy with the principles & aims of P.H.E.

6. Mr. Franklin's letter re offering hospitality to country members was read - Mr. Anson undertook to do what she could among Belgrave members & Miss Blogg said she would write to Mr. John's Wood Secretary.

7. The form of the Council summons was approved.

Algernon C.P. Coote

June. 14 /99

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Council Meeting
Tuesday May 9th at the office at
4 p.m.

Present

Dr. Schofield (chair)
Mr. Franklin, Mr. Rooper, Mr. Anson,
Lady Campbell, Mr. Hollon, Mr. Venables,
Mr. Burr and Miss Blogg.

1. The Minutes of the last Council Meeting were read and confirmed.

2. An abstract of the Annual Report was read by the Secretary. The adoption of the Report was moved by Mr. Rooper & seconded by Dr. Schofield.
(Carried nem.con)

3. The adoption of the Balance Sheet was proposed by Mr. Venables and seconded by Mr. Hollon.

4. The re-election of Messrs Woodman, Tulloch & Edds as auditors was proposed by

Mr. Schofield and seconded by Mr. Rooper.

5. The re-election of the President, Vice Presidents, Chairman of Committee and retiring members of the Council was proposed by Lady Campbell & seconded by Mr. Anson. (carried)
6. Mr. Herbert Smith was elected as a member of the Executive Committee Proposed by Mr. Franklin and seconded by Mr. Burr.
Mr. Glover sent in Mr. Clement Parsons name as a member of the Executive Committee, seconded by Mr. Whitaker Thompson. Mr. Clement Parsons was elected mem. con.
7. Mr. Robins tendered her resignation from the P.H.S. Executive Committee.
8. The re-election of the Executive Committee was proposed by Mr. Rooper and

seconded by Mr. Burr. (carried)

9. The Secretary was instructed to write to the Secretary of the Teachers Guild and inform him that his letter containing a proposal for some sort of alliance between the P.H.S. & the Teachers Guild, had been sent in too late for discussion at the Council meeting. The matter should be brought up later on at the Executive Committee and reported to the Council.
10. A vote of thanks to Miss Blogg was proposed by Mr. Anson & seconded by Mr. Franklin (carried)

W. A. Schofield
May 15. 1900

1899.

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Meeting of Local Secretaries
Branch Representative
Postman's Rooms. Friday May 12th

at 12. p.m.

Present

M^{rs} Franklin (chair). M^{rs} Howard Glover
(Hampstead) M^{rs} Anson Lady Campbell
(Belgrave) Miss Hart Davis (Reading)
M^{rs} Lothergill (Darlington) M^{rs} Discon
(Southport) M^{rs} Gaitshell Burr (Brighton)
M^{rs} Lawrell (Lewes) M^{rs} Venables (Hastings
& St. Leonards) Madame de Goeij (Brussels)
M^{rs} Wager (Leeds) M^{rs} Linton (Tunbridge
wells) M^{rs} Marx, M^{rs} Hunt, M^{rs} Woods
(visitors) M^{rs} Albert Wilson (Woodford)
M^{rs} Baguel & M^{rs} Fletcher (Spelwich)
M^{rs} Pearce (Hampstead) M^{rs} Roscoe
Mullins (St. John's Wood) M^{rs} Perrin
(St. John's Wood) Miss Maynard, M^{rs}
Clement Parsons, M^{rs} Walker (Worfield)
M^{rs} James Gray (Forest Hill) M^{rs} Barrett
M^{rs} Siecking (Harrow) Miss Simpson
M^{rs} Clarke Kennedy, Miss Irvine (Birkenhead)
M^{rs} Macrae, Dr. Malden (Tunbridge Wells)
M^{rs} Marshall & M^{rs} Whitely (Dulwich) & Miss Blogg.

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1. The minutes of the last Secretaries meeting were read and confirmed.
2. Discussion as to how to make the Union known. M^{rs} Franklin emphasized the necessity of plenty of literature at meetings. M^{rs} Discon said she had written out reports of meetings & lectures and had sent them round to members. M^{rs} Roscoe Mullins suggested that it was often advisable to have two Secretaries.
3. The letter of suggestions sent to Local Secretaries was read and enlarged upon. M^{rs} Franklin also described the agencies of the Union at some length.
4. Madame de Goeij offered to send notices of French books to the Parents Review every 3 months.

5 Miss Mark Davis reported on the organisation and working of the P.R.E. Natural History Club.

6 Mr. Seocking suggested that it might be possible in country branches of the P.R.E. to have meetings for working men and women, which a London working man or woman might address & vice versa.

Mr. Mares reported that she had addressed Mothers' Union meetings on P.R.E. subjects & that Mr. Sumner (President of the Mothers' Union) was more interested & keen on P.R.E. ideas. Mr. Anson also said she had addressed audiences of working men & women.

7 Mr. Clark Kennedy said she hoped to be able to help in the formation of a Branch of the Union at Guildford.

8. Mr. Franklin requested that Local Secretaries should make "Home Education" & "Parents & Children" known as much as possible - Mrs. Blogg urged all Local Secretaries to be prompt in sending her reports of meetings and lectures etc for publication in the Parents Review.

H. Franklin

May 15. 1901

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Finance Committee.

June 13th at 31 Old Change at 5 p.m.

Present. Mr. Cote, Mr. Perrin, Mr. Franklin
and Mrs. Bloag.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were
read and confirmed

2. The books and vouchers were
examined to June 13th and found
correct.

3. The following bills were passed for
payment:

Cowell	53. 16. 6	Petty Cash	10. 0. 0
Nature Note Book	6. 0. 0	Conf. Service	1. 15. 0
Bloag.	11. 13. 4		

Total 83. 4. 10.

leaving a Balance at Bank of £11. 6. 0

4. Total Liabilities reported.

Cowell	113. 12. 2	Petty Cash	10. 0. 0
Rent (Appt)	11. 0. 0	N. Note Book	6. 0. 0
Bloag.	11. 13. 4	Conf. Service	1. 15. 0

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Total. 154. 0. 6

Assets.

Balance Bank 87. 1. 3 Regan Paul 32. 12. 6

Cash Office 7. 9. 7 Underhill 9. 9. 0

Micro. 22. 10. 0 Local Secs. 29. 14. 2

Scripture Marshall 13. 3. 3

Total 201. 19. 9.

Actual Balance £47. 19. 3.

5. Mr. Cote undertook to see Mr. Tulloch
with regard to the keeping of
register of "Parents' Pensions", Capitalisation
fees and Students fees.

Algernon C. P. Cote

Oct. 30/99

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Executive Committee

Wednesday June 14th at the Office at 5 p.m.

Present. Mr. Coote (chair)

Mr. Penin

Lady Kennell Basington.

Miss Webb

Mr. Faulkner

Mr. Herbert Smith

Mr. Anson

Mrs. Clement Parsons.

Mrs. Blogg.

1. The Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. Finance as reported to Finance Committee held on Monday June 12th.
 Balance at Bank £94. 10. 10
 Bills passed for payment:
 Corwell 53. 16. 6
 Radnor Note Books 6. 0. 0
 Blogg 11. 13. 4
 Petty Cash 10. 0. 0
 Conference Service 1. 15. 0
 £88. 4. 10

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leaving a Balance at Bank of £11. 6. 0.
 Total Assets amounted to 201. 19. 9
 Total Liabilities " " 154. 0. 6
Balance £47. 19. 3

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With regard to the publication of Aunt Mavis Budget, Mrs. Blogg was instructed to write to Corwell and ask him if it would be cheaper to publish the Budget separately in pamphlet form, and if so what difference it would make in expense.

4.

Mrs. Blogg was requested to write to Messrs. Regan Paul & Co in answer to their letter, saying that any customers of theirs who applied for the Parents Review should be referred to them, at the same time stating that Messrs. Simpkin Marshall & Co had made their own arrangements with the printer.

The letter from Farusworth & Co
to stand over for the present.
Mr. Perrin kindly offered to
make enquiries about the fair.

5. Mrs Webb proposed that 200 extra
nos of the Review should be
printed for the months of July &
August. It was decided that
250 copies of Mrs Kitching's paper
on "The history & aims of the P.H.S."
should be printed.
Seconded by Mr. Franklin.

6. Conference Report. A short report of
the Conference held at the Portman Rooms
May 9th - 12th was given by the Secretary.
The amount realised by sale of
tickets was £27. 11. 6, as compared
with £19. 10 the year before. Expenses
however were heavier, amounting to
£29. 5. 0. The average attendance at
meetings was as follows; -

1st morning 180, 2nd 200, 3rd 120, 4th 120.

Between 400 & 500 people were present at the conversazione and about 130 at the meeting at Stafford House.

and 36 Branch Representatives & Local Secretaries were at the Local Secretaries meeting. A good many new members joined after the conference, and several people expressed the wish to establish a Branch in their ^{respective} neighbourhoods. Mrs. Franklin read a letter from Lady Aberdeen in which she promised to take the chain at the conversazione next year.

7. The delegates elected to represent the P.H.S. at the International were Mr. Glover and Mr. Franklin.

8. The Committee approved the formation of Branches at Guildford, Brondesbury, Manchester & Cheltenham.

9. It was proposed by Mrs Webb and seconded by Lady Kennett Barrington that provisional notice to remove the Office at 26 Victoria St. ^{in October} should be sent to the Westminster Trust on June 24th

10. Mr. Anson proposed the re-election of the Conference Sub Committee seconded by Mr. Perrin (carried)

11. A resolution was proposed by Mr. Franklin and seconded by Mr. Clement Parsons, worded as follows "in view of the fact that Miss Blogg requires a six months holiday, a Secretary should be engaged for the month of July & from Sept. 15th to Dec. 15th at a salary of £60. or £70 per ann. Miss Blogg to be paid at the rate of £40 ^{per ann.} during the same period."

(Carried nem. con.)
 Alfred J. Schepherd
 12.7.99

Executive Committee.

Wednesday. 12th July 1899. at the Office, at 5 o'clock.

Present. Dr. Shofield (chair)
Mr. Franklin
Miss H. Webb, M.B.
Mr. Cote.
Miss Russell (acting Sec.)

1. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed.
2. No statement was prepared - The acting Secretary was requested to write to Miss Blogg for full particulars of an apparent discrepancy of £100, and to communicate reply to Mr. Cote.
3. A letter from Mr. Rooper was read, expressing a wish that Mr. C. Parson's paper, which

3. was read at Mr. Franklin's "At Home" on 28th June '99, should be published by the Union. It was proposed by Miss Webb, seconded by Mr. Franklin, and agreed to by Committee, that Mr. Parson's paper, "The Principles & Objects of the P.N. & U.", (at her fee £5.5/-) be accepted and printed as soon as possible.

4. A correspondence with Miss Pretherbridge, re reporting at the Conference, was reported by Mr. Cote - Her final agreement for £8.8/- was accepted by Committee and the Acting Sec: was directed to send a cheque accordingly.

5. Mr. Franklin's "At Home".
Mr. Franklin gave a brief account of the results of the

Address given by Mr. Parson's
on the 28th June 1899. She
stated that about twenty people
had signified their intention
of joining the Union; and
that ladies were present from
Copenhagen, Stockholm, Mayence,
Berlin, Bombay, Canada, and
the U.S. America - who all
signified their intention of
spreading the principles and
work of the Union.

Professor Carl Bornes asked
permission to read the paper
in Boston next autumn -

Several Intern: Congress Delegates
expressed the opinion that
it was the best paper heard
during the Congress week -

Mr. Franklin also stated
that the result of the bookstall
arranged at the Congress was
the sale of five copies of

Miss Ch. Mason's books, of
Several of Canon Lyttleton's
pamphlet, the distribution
of a great many Reports and
Par: Reviews, the stall being
refilled daily -

6. A letter from Mr. Anson was
read, asking if the Central
Office could supply aid
in re-arranging the library.
The Committee found their
financial position would
not allow of their giving
any paid assistance, and
hoped the Library Committee
might again find the kind
help of their friends could
supply what assistance they
required and so leave the
Library money free for the
purchase of new books.

7. Old Branches- } nil.
8. New .. } nil.

9. The Committee passed a vote of condolence and sympathy with Miss Blogg in her bereavement. (the sudden death of her sister.)
H. Franklin
Oct 11 / 99

Executive Committee.

Wednesday. 11th Oct: '99 at the Office
28. Victoria St. S.W. at 5 o'clock.

Present.

Mr. Franklin (chair)
" H. Glover.
Miss H. Webb. M.B.
Mr. Coote
Miss Russell. (acting Sec.)

1. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and confirmed.

2. Finance. It was reported that:-
Balance at Bank = £97 .. 19.7.

Bills submitted for payment:-

Conell	£88. 1. 0	Petty Cash	£10. 0. 0
Educ. Supp.	6. 0. 0	Blogg. sal.	5. 0. 0
Rent.	9. 19. 3	Russell. sal.	5. 0. 0

to be paid as soon as funds will permit.

Finance - cont.

A letter from the Auditor was read, referring to the fees of "House of Education" Ambleside students. The Secretary was directed to obtain a complete list of the payments of the students since 1892 to submit to next Committee.

3. A letter from Mr. Kelsey of Adelaide, So. Austr. was read asking for two of Miss Mason's books & wishing to join the Union. She also states she is about to form a Branch of P.N.E.U. in Adelaide. It was reported by Act: Sec: that Mr. Kelsey's Money Order was lost in the post & correspondence with the Post Office has failed to trace it.

4. A letter from Mr. Steinthal was read, asking for some support from Com^{ee} in the matter of the state for the House of Education at the Training Fund Bazaar at Manchester on 8th 9th 10th 11th Nov: '99.

The Act: Sec: was instructed to send 12 copies of Mr. Clement Parson's Address & back number of the Par: Review for distribution.

5. A letter of thanks for kind sympathy was read from Miss Blogg.

6. English Educ: Exhib: 1900.

A letter from the Secretary of the above was read, & the Acting Sec: was directed to ask the Sec: of the Exhib: to reserve two days for lectures for the

representatives of this Union -
dates to be arranged later & all
further arrangements to be
left to Mr. Franklin -

7. Educ. Board of New Zealand.

A circular letter from this
Board was read, & the Sec.
was directed to send a compl.
copy of the Parents Review
monthly in future.

8 The request of Campbell's Dye
Works, to insert an advertisement
in the body of the Parents Review
was refused & answer to be
sent accordingly -

9. Old Branches.

Richmond. It was reported
by Mr. Franklin that the Hon.
Sec. of this Branch could no

longer continue the work, &
that so far no one had been
found to take her place -

Mr. Franklin was asked kindly
to attend the next meeting of the
Branch (on 16th inst) & do what
she could to work up interest
& if possible find another to take
the place of Secretary, if even
pro. tem. only -

Dulwich. It was reported
that Mr. Whitely had resigned
her post of Hon. Sec., after
4 years, & had been succeeded
by Mrs. May. Pond House. D. Village

Bournemouth. Mr.
Franklin reported that she
had lately visited this
Branch, which appeared to
be in a flourishing condition.
Five new Members joined after

her Lecture and she sold all the copies she has with her of Mr. Clement Parson's Address—

10 New Branches.

Brondesbury.

It was reported that a branch was to be opened here on 17th Oct. by a lecture from Mr. Howard Glover: Mr. Cunningham acting as Hon. Sec. pro. tem—

11 Advertisements of Schools in P.R.

It was proposed by Mr. Franklin seconded by Mr. Coote as follows:—

" That in view of the responsibility incurred thereby no advertisement of Schools, etc. should be inserted in the Par. Review as being

"carried on ^{on} under P.N.E.U. lines,"
"or in any similar way claiming
"Connection with the P.N.E.U.,
"unless it be ascertained that
"the pupils therein are taught
"by a House of Education Student
"or are working in the "Parents
"Review School." "

12.

New Office.

a draft copy of the Agreement with Mrs. Lomnitz of 26 Victoria St. with reference to renting a room in her flat, was given to Mr. Howard Glover to show to her brother that he may give legal advice as to it being correct. Mr. Glover was asked to send it then to Mr. Coote, who will return it to this Office.

13.

Natur. History Club.

It was reported by Mrs Franklin that Mrs Anson wished to resign her place on this Com^{ee}, as she is unable to give the necessary time for the proper carrying on of the work. This Com^{ee} would ask Mrs Anson to reconsider her decision, as it is extremely difficult to replace her at present -

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Hegan Paul & Co. - re Sale of P.R.

The Acting Secretary was directed to refer Hegan Paul to H. Perrin, Esq. if then wished the matter of sale & ^{exchange} return of Pon: Rev: further gone into -

Attested
15/11/98

Finance Committee.

30th Oct: 1899. at 31. Old Change L.C. 5 p.m.

Present. Mr. Cote (Chair)
" Perrin
" Franklin
Miss Russell (act: Sec:)

1. The Minutes of the last meeting were read & confirmed.
2. The books and vouchers were examined to 28th Oct: and found correct.

The Balance at Bank was shown to be £152.9.2

The following cheques were made out and signed: -

Rent.	£9.19.3.	
Ed. Sup.	6.0.0	
Blogs. Sal:	5.0.0	
Russell..	5.0.0	
Winterbotham	2.12.6	cler. assist:

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Auditors £ 8. 8. 0. (sp. fee. H. & Ed. St.)
leaving £ 27. 8. 5. in hand.

Cheque for £ 27.
for share of profits for Par: Rev:
Co. was made out to ^{be} sent by
Mr. Cootie to Mr. Steinthal.
so soon as Bank balance
will allow— This was
proposed by Mr. Franklin
seconded by Mr. Perrin, &
carried unan.

It was moved by Mr.
Franklin, seconded by Mr.
Perrin, "That the Secretary
of the "House of Education", at
Ambleside be supplied with
a list of the ladies who have
left the House of Education but
have not paid the Par: Nat:
Educ. Union their fees as
agreed, and to ask her kindly

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"to get these ladies to
"carry out their engagements."

Mr. Franklin
23 Jan 1900

W. A. Chiswell
15/11/99

Executive Committee

Wednesday November 15th at the Office at 5 p.m.

Present

Lady Campbell

Dr. Schofield

Mr. Franklin

Mrs. Webb

Mr. Perrin

Mr. Clement Parson.

Mrs. Russell.

1. The Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. Finance as reported to Finance Committee held on Monday ~~November~~ Oct 30th.
3. It was reported by Act. Sec. that Bedford Branch Finance Sec. had not sent in any report of work for a great many months, nor had the bill for Parent's Review been paid since Dec: 1897. It now comes to

£ 8. 16/-, and in spite of several requests for the amount no answer has been received.

The Act. Sec. was directed to write to Mrs. Craig on the subject Edinburgh. It was reported by Mrs. Franklin that she had visited the Edinburgh Branch which was in a flourishing condition.

St. John's Wood. Dr. Helen Webb reported that she had had a good attendance at her lecture to this Branch.

4. Reports on New Branches

Surbiton. A letter was read from Mrs. Alex Johnston as to prospects of this Branch.

Adelaide. A letter was read from Mrs. Kelsey Hon. Sec. of this Branch, giving a full account of her work in forming and working up the Branch and the Act. Sec. was directed to put a notice of it.

formation in the December Parent's Review.

Brondesbury and Kilburn. The Hon. Sec. of this Branch wrote on behalf of her Committee to ask the Central Committee to consider their Branch as a Country one and accept a Capitation fee of 6^s each member instead of 1^s - This question was much discussed by Committee, but they prefer to postpone their final decision till next year, when the Brondesbury Branch may be on a more firm footing and the (Exec) Committee more in a position to judge of the Branch's power to pay fee.

5. Aunt Mai's Budget. The question of binding this with the Parent's Review was discussed and Mr. Perrin was requested to see Messrs Cowell and point out how imperfectly they have carried out their agreement to make the

Budget detachable) and to ask them to make it quite separate, merely to be laid in the Parent's Review, for the same price.

6. Life Membership.

It was decided that all H. of Ed. students should become life members of the Union as a return for the £5 fee due to the Union on the completion of their training.

The question of lifemembership of others, on payment of £10 was deferred for consideration at the annual meeting of Council.

7. Educ: Exhib: of 1900

In reply to correspondence with the Sec. of this Exh: Mr. Franklin who has kindly undertaken the arrangements in this matter, was asked to arrange for one lecture only - the Lecturer to be Mr. Cemb. Parsons.

8. Mrs. Clem. Parson's Address.

The question of free distribution of this pamphlet was raised by the Wakefield Branch Sec: but it was decided that the pamphlet could not be distributed free until the cost of its production had been covered.

9. Publ. Sch. Year Book was declined as a medium for advertising the work of this Union.

10. The Sanitary Institute.

A letter was read from Mr. White Wallis in which he proposes that this Union should send in a resolution to the Board of Education in common with other ^{societies} ~~bodies~~ as to the inspection of schools for the purpose of ascertaining the nature of the provisions made for the teaching and health of the scholars.

11. Mr. Carus Wilson's Lectures.

A cheque for £ 3. 3p was sent by Mr. C. W. in acknowledg. of the help of this Union in making his course of lectures to young people widely known. This cheque was acknowledged with thanks by Committee.

Wakefield W.D.

Executive Committee. Wednesday. Dec. 20th

at the Office at 5 p.m.

Present. Dr Schopfield
Mr. Franklin.
Mr. Anson
Mr. Perin.
Miss Blogg.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

2. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to Mr. White Wallis and inform ^{him} that ^{through} the Committee quite approved of the tenour of his letter, but as the P. L. E. C. is not a teaching body, any practical work in connection with the inspection of schools &c, is a little out of the scope of the Society's work.

3. A letter was read from Mr. Craig of Bedford, stating that the Secretary

of the Branch had left Bedford and that his whereabouts was unknown. She stated that it was very doubtful if any of the money owing could be recovered, as the Secretary had become bankrupt. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to the Treasurer (Mr. Parsons) & ask him what could be done by the Branch towards paying the debt.

* Mr. Franklin reported that the ^{new} Folkestone Secretary was not very successful choice.

- * Dr Schopfield proposed that monthly payments should be made for "Parents Reviews", except in those cases where the number sent was very small, & in no case should more than 3 months credit be given.

- 3 It was proposed by Mr. Anson & seconded by Mr. Perin that a Branch should be formed at Brisbane - also at Copenhagen when ready.

4. A letter was read from Mr. Franklin in which she stated that the Hyde Park & Bayswater Branch voted a sum of £15.15 to the Central Fund, being the ^{value} balance of the copyright of Mr. Clement Parsons lecture £5.5 the original 500 copies printed £5.5, and 1000 reprints £5.5. A vote of thanks to the Branch was proposed by Mr. Anson and seconded by Mr. Percin.

5. Four vacancies had arisen on the Executive Committee, ^{by the resignation of} Mr. Vincent & Lady Kenneth Barrington, Mr. Cockburn & Sir Algernon Coote.

Miss Blogg was instructed to secure nominations before the next Committee.

6. Miss Blogg was instructed to sell Mr. Clement Parsons address to Local Secretaries at 3d a copy.

7. Miss Blogg was asked to write to London Local Secretaries & inform them of Mr. Clement Parsons lecture in connection with the Educ. Exhibit at the Imperial Institute on Jan. 24th.

8. The question ^{of} engaging another hall instead of the Portman Rooms for the Conference was discussed & Miss Blogg undertook to find out the charge for the Westminster Town Hall & St. Martins ~~St~~ Town Hall.

9. Mr. Franklin reported that the Natural History Club was dissolved and that henceforward its organ was the "Children's Quarterly" issued at Reading. The Exhibition would be held in London, at the same time as the Conference, as before.

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Executive Committee

Wednesday Jan 17th at the Office at 5.

Present.

Mr. Franklin (Chair)

Mrs. Webb

Mr. Anson

Mr. Herbert Smith

Mr. Glover

Mr. Whitaker Thompson

Mrs. Blogg.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

2. Finance reported.

Liabilities £103. 7. 3 £ S. D

Assets. £148. 13. 0 £45. 5. 10

Bills for payment.

Blogg. 6. 13. 4

Petty Cash 10. 0. 0

Clerical Ass. 2. 5. 6

Art for Schools 1. 1. 0 £20. 0. 7.

3.

Mr. Anson proposed and Mr. Franklin seconded the nomination of

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Mr. Rawstone (Belgrave) on the Executive Committee.

4. Letters from the Sheffield and Chichester Secretaries were read and it was decided that the two branches must be allowed to lapse.

5. The date of the Convergance was fixed for Wednesday May 16th.

6. Mrs. Blogg was instructed to write to Coroll and tell him to print the words "detachable" by cutting the thread in the corner of Aunt Mai's Budget.

7. The next Committee was fixed for Wednesday Feb. 14th.

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Finance Committee.

Tuesday. Jan 23rd 60 Old Broad St. 5:15.
Present Mr Franklin, Mr Perrin
and Miss Blogg.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. It was resolved to ask Mr. Carlisle to act upon the Finance Committee.
3. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to Chiers, Hannaford, Regan Paul & Simpson Marshall requesting them to pay accounts -
4. Miss Blogg was requested to write to the auditors & inform them that the books were ready for the Annual Audit.
5. A cheque for Nov. Reviews £28.11.8 was made out to Corwell.

6 The books were examined to the end of the year Dec 31st 1899 & found correct.

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Conference Sub-Committee
Jan 31st 50. Porchester Terrace 6 p.m.

Present

Miss Webb (chair) Mr. Franklin, Mr. Glover
 Miss Blogg.

1. The meetings of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. The suggestions ^{sent in} for subjects for discussion were read and discussed.
3. Possible Speakers for the Conversations suggested. Mr. Lecky, Prof. Bryce, S. James, Lady Aberdeen in the chair.
4. Other Speakers. Canon Page Roberts (Sermon or address on Religious teaching)
 Mr. Steinthal on "Mothers & Teachers"
 Miss Allen "Teachers & Mothers"
 Mr. Rooper (?) "Religious teaching"
 Mr. Dowson.
 Mr. Cotterill
 Mr. Clement Parsons at the Teachers

of Bedford's on Thursday aft. May 19th.
 Canon Barnett or Father Dolling on "PhSlh
 & foster mothers"

Mr. Firth on "Ruskin"
 Mrs. Firth "Cooking"
 Miss Webb "Talk to Nurses"
 Mr. Brightwen "Nature Teaching"
 Miss Giberne.
 Canon Wolbenforce "Kindness to Animals"
 Miss Burrell.

Possible chairmen. Prof. Earl Barnes.
 Mr. Winkworth. Lady Beatrice Petyman.
 Mr. Franklin

Feb 14. 1900.

Conference Sub-Committee.
Meets Feb. 14th at the office at 3.30.
 Mr. Franklin (chair) Mrs. Webb. Mr. Glover
 Mrs. Blegg.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. Acceptances to speak or take chair were read from Lady Aberdeen, Mr. Clement Parsons, Mr. Dowson, Mr. Steinthal. & Prof Bryce.
3. New suggestions that Lady Campbell should take the chair at Mrs. Webb's meeting - Lady Taran to be asked to give a paper on the "Relation of parent & teacher" - The Duchess of Sutherland to be asked to take chair at Mr. Clement Parsons' lecture or Lady Louise Lodge.

4. Dr. Lampin Gordon's suggestion for a paper on the systematic training of nurse-maids was accepted.

5. Dates & hours of addresses were arranged as far as possible.

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7.3.00

Executive Committee

Meets - Feb. 14th at the Office at 6 p.m.

Present

Dr. Schofield (chair)

Mr. Glover

Mr. Franklin

Mrs. Webb.

Mr. Herbert Smith

Mr. Rawstorne

Mr. Anson.

Mr. Clement Parsons.

Mr. Whitaker Thompson.

Mrs. Bloeg.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed
2. The following cheques were passed for payment. Bloeg 6.13.14
Russell 2.10.0 Perrin 2.17.0.
3. Mr. Franklin proposed that Lady Louise Loder should be asked to act upon the Executive Committee

Seconded by Mr. Anson (carried unanimously)

4. A letter from Mr. S. Roberts was read resigning his membership of the Exec. Com.
5. Dr. Laing Gordon's suggestion forwarded by the Sec. of the Dulwich Branch with regard to the "Systematic Training of Nursemaids" was read, and Mrs. Bloeg was instructed to write to Dr. Gordon & inform him that the subject should be dealt with at the Conference.
6. Branches at Swansea & Streatham were approved.
7. The Conference arrangements were reported by the Sub-Committee & approved.

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8. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to Sir Algernon Cooke & inform him that the Committee passed him a cordial vote of thanks for his services on the P.H.S. Executive and Finance Com. It was proposed by Mr. Glover & seconded by Miss Webb that he should be elected a Vice President of the Union (carried unanimously).

9. The 14th March was fixed as the date of the next meeting. changed to March 21st.

A. Whitaker
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Conference Sub-Committee

Wednesday March 7th at 14 Nottingham Place
at 4. pm.

Present

Dr. Schofield, Mr. Franklin, Mr. Glover
Miss Webb, Lady Campbell, Mr. Whitaker
Thompson, Miss Blogg.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed
2. The arrangements for Conference up to date were read and approved
3. Miss Blogg was instructed to get separate cards printed for the lecture "Talks to Nurses".
4. Mr. Whitaker Thompson was asked to secure the use of St. Mary Abbott's Kensington for the P.H.S. service.
5. Miss Birrell to be asked to speak for 10 mins on "lecture teaching".

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6. The following names were suggested as proposers and seconders of votes of thanks at the Conversazione:
 Prof Earl Barnes. Mr. Bryant.
 Mr. Sadler, Lady Eden.

W. H. Field &
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Executive Committee

Wednesday, March 21st at the Office at 5.

Present

Mr. Hoofield (chair) Mr. Whitaker Thompson,
 Mr. Franklin, Lady Louise Loder, Miss Beth,
 Mr. Rawstone, Mr. Herbert Smith, Lady
 Campbell, Mr. Curzon and Miss Blegg.

1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. Finance report as follows.

Balance at Bank	284. 18. 8.
Present liabilities	21. 0. 0
	Actual Bal. £ 263. 18. 8
Total Liabilities	£80. 8. 8
Total Assets	£429. 16. 9.
Balance.	£349. 8. 1.
3. The question of the Students fees still left unpaid was referred to Mr. Franklin, Miss Russell & Miss Blegg for enquiry - the result to be sent to the auditor as soon as possible.

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4. Mr. Anson nominated Mr. Raynor as member of the Executive Com. seconded by Miss Webb, subject to her consent.
Mr. Franklin nominated S. Loring Gordon. seconded by Mr. Whitaker Thompson
(Carried near com.)

5. The question of Branch Capitalization fees to be brought up at the Council meeting. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to the Harrow Sec. & urge her to pay as soon as possible.

6. Mr. Clement Parson consented to write the Annual Report, to be ready for the Com. meeting on April 4th.

7. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to Mr. Perrin and to ask him to see Messrs. Megan Paul & Co

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about the delivery of returns of the Parents Review.

8. Mr. Anson's suggestions were read & discussed
- 1) That the list of House of Education Payments should be placed on the table at each Committee (approved)
 - 2) That the Finance Committee should inform the Executive at each Committee of any outstanding debts of Capitalization fees, House of Education students fees etc. (approved)
 - 3) That at each meeting the Committee be informed whether any Central members have retired, or new members joined. (approved)

- 4) That a day book be kept for entering the names of callers & their object in calling & that this

look be laid before each Committee.

9. Lady Louie Loder proposed that the P.h.E. should hold a meeting at the same time as the Conference of the National Union of Women Workers at Brighton in October next. It was suggested that Mr. Franklin should give the address & that if possible Mrs. Webb should speak at the Conference. if the Com. of the National Union of Women Workers approved (Carried)
10. Mr. Hart Davis letter re Branch & Nat Hist. Club members was read.
11. Mrs. Blogg was instructed to write a cordial letter of sympathy to the members of the International Congress at Washington & express regret that the P.h.E. is unable

to send a delegate to the Conference.

12. Mrs. Blogg was instructed to write to Mr. Carus Wilson & inform him that the P.h.E. was quite willing to advertise his lectures free of charge, but that it was not possible to say "under the auspices of the P.h.E." unless directly organised by a Branch or initiated directly by the P.h.E.
13. Two new members were elected on the Library Committee, Mr. Clement Parsons and Mr. Ashley Carus Wilson.

Attested
4.4.00

Finance Committee

Wednesday March 28th at 31 Old
Change at 5 p m.

Present Mr. Franklin. Mr. Perrin. Miss Blogg.

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

1. The Bank pass book showed a balance of £289 .. 4 .. 5.
2. Mr. Perrin undertook to make enquiries concerning returns of ~~the~~ "Parents Review" by Regan Paul.
3. Miss Blogg was instructed to write to Mr. Tulloch & inform him that the Committee considered that nearly all the fees due from House of Education Students could be ultimately obtained.
4. The books were examined up to date & found correct.

Executive Committee

Wednesday April 4th at the Office at 5.

Present Mr. Schofield - Mrs. Webb.

Lady Louie Loder, Lady Campbell,
Mr. Rawstone, Mr. Auer, Mr. Rayner
Mr. Whitaker Thompson & Miss Blogg.

1. The Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.
2. The auditors report was read and approved.
3. The Annual Report, written by Mr. Clement Parsons was read and approved.
4. Mr. Franklin's resolution "that in future the co-option of members should be by ballot, one black ball to exclude" was approved.
5. It was agreed that Mr. Franklin's

article in vol of Educational Reports should be circulated in the P.H.S. & used for distribution.

Miss Webb in the Chair.

6. The resolution from the Reading Branch re capitation fees was discussed and it was decided to bring the matter up before the Council.
7. Mr. Franklin's letter re Students fees was read. It was decided to remit the fee in the case of Miss James & Miss Fox and that Miss Seebohm should not be asked for the remittance of hers. Miss Fox should be asked to contribute what she could to the P.H.S. - as she had only seen the old prospectus of the Home of Education in which no fee was exacted.
8. Branch at Barry (Glamorgan) was

approved. and also of ~~an~~ affiliated the affiliation of the Danish Kochel Union to the P.H.S.

Miss Blogg reported that a very successful inaugural meeting had been held at Horwood - 1st Branch started for that district.

9. Col. Curtis suggestions were referred to Miss Mason.
10. A letter from Madame Repmann ^(Horn) expressing a wish to attend the Conference and showing great interest in the work of the P.H.S. was read.

April 1, 1900
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1900 May 15th at St. Martin's Town Hall
at 12.30.

1. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

* 2. Present Mr. Franklin (chair).

Mr. Tiveling (Harrow)

Mr. Roscoe Mullins (St. John's Wood)

Mr. Hugo Müller (Visitor)

Mr. Frank Ainsworth (Bolton)

Mrs. Beville (formerly Hampstead)

Mrs. E. Cooke (Twickenham)

Mr. May (Dulwich)

Mr. Herbert Smith (Hampstead)

Mr. Cunningham (Beaconsfield)

Mr. Douglas Wilson (")

Mr. Clark Kennedy (Guildford)

Mr. Kemantle (Oxford)

Mr. Border (Lewes)

Mr. Lawrenson (")

Mr. Douglas (Harrow)

Mr. Weatherley (Harrow)

Mr. James Gray (Forest Hill)

Mr. Ramsay Wilson (Finsbury)

Mr. Clayton (")

Mr. Pierson Turner (Isleworth)

Mr. Bagwell (")

Mr. Bower (Scarborough)

Mr. Carrell (Leytonstone)

Mr. Albert Wilson (Woodford)

Mr. Steinthal (Hilly)

Mr. W. Wood (New Zealand)

Mr. Raynor (Belgrave)

Mr. Anson (")

Lady Campbell (")

Lady Helen Lacey (")

Mr. Fothergill (Darlington)

Mrs. Irvine (Birkenhead)

Mrs. Blogg & Mrs. Russell

1. The minutes of the previous meeting were read & confirmed.

2. Mr. Sweeting's suggestion that more efforts should be made by Branches of the Union towards reaching parents of the smaller shop keeping & less educated classes was much discussed - Lady Campbell moved a resolution to the effect - that each Branch Secretary should communicate with the Secretaries of the Mothers' Union, Settlements & similar organisations ^{existing} in their neighbourhood in order to endeavour to do something towards helping parents of the poorer classes - The result to be reported upon next year. Seconded by Mr. Anson.

(Carried)

3. The difficulty of getting good audiences to lectures was next discussed - Mr. Franklin emphasised the fact that P.H. & L. Literature

should be always in evidence at meetings. It was also suggested that Mr. Clement Parsons address should be lent to intending members & that in default of a lecture it might with advantage be read at Branch meetings.

4. Mr. Franklin also suggested the possibility of giving occasional informal "at homes" to non-members.
5. Mr. Cunningham suggested the advisability of 10 minutes papers with discussion to follow?

H. Franklin

May 17. 1909

Council Meeting.

May 15th 1900 at the Office at 5 p.m.

Present Dr. Schofield, Mr. Franklin, Mr. Raynor,
Mr. Holton, Lady Campbell, Mr. Steinthal
Miss R. Pease - Miss Blogg.

1. The minutes of the last Council meeting were read and confirmed
2. The adoption of the Annual Report was proposed by Mr. Steinthal and seconded by Lady Campbell
(Carried nem con)
3. The adoption of the Auditor's report and Balance was moved by Mr. Franklin and seconded by Mr. Raynor
(Carried)
4. The re-election of the auditors Messrs. Woodman Tulloch & Edds was proposed by Mr. Holton and seconded by Miss Pease.
(Carried)

5. Mr. Franklin proposed that Life Membership without the Parents Review should be £3. 3. Life members to be honorary members of any Branch. This was seconded by Mr. Steinthal and carried nem con.
6. The election of the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen as Presidents of the Union was proposed by Mr. Miss Mason and seconded by Mr. Franklin
Carried unanimously.
7. The ^{re}-election of Vice Presidents, Chairman of Committee, Hon. Officers & one third co-opted members of the Council was proposed by Miss Pease and seconded by Lady Campbell
(Carried).
8. The re-election of the Executive Committee was proposed by Mr. Raynor & seconded by Mr. Holton.
(Carried)

9. Mr. Walter Woods' letter asking for two representatives from the P.K.E. to act upon the Council & Committee of the Holland Institute was read & discussed. Mr. Glover and Lady Campbell were chosen as representatives with the idea of finding out how far the work carried on at the Holland Institute was in accordance with the aims & principles of the P.K.E.
Proposed by Mr. Franklin and Seconded by Mr. Steinthal. (carried)

10. The suggestion from the Secretary of the Teachers Guild that the Societies might in some way be affiliated was at Mr. Steinthal's proposal referred to the Executive Committee. This was seconded by Mr. Raynor. (carried)

11. The resolution from the Reading Branch "that in future the Capitalisation fees paid to the Central should be ~~10~~ a tenth of the Branch income" was again discussed and finally adopted. Country Branches to pay 10 per cent of their income to the Central and London Branches 20 per cent.

Isabel Aberdeen
May 15 1901

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Executive Committee

Wednesday May 30th at the Office at 5 p.m.

Present: Mr. Schofield (Chair) Mr. Franklin,
Mrs. Webb, Lady Campbell, Mr. Anson
Mrs. Bloeg.

1. The ^{minutes} ~~meetings~~ of the last meeting
were read and confirmed.

2. Conference Report. A short report
of the Conference held at St. Martin's
Town Hall May 15th to 18th was given
by the Secretary. The amount paid
in for tickets sold up to date was
£21. 7. 6 - but several small sums
had still to be sent in by
Local Secretaries. Expenses
amounted to £32. 9. 3. Exclusive
of printing as compared with
29. 5. 0 last year. The
average attendances at meetings
were as follows:-

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1st morning 190. 2nd 125. 3rd 157.
4th 95. Over 500 people were
present at the Conversazione &
about 200 at the meeting in
Grosvenor Place. Thirty four Local
Secretaries & Branch Representatives
attended the Secretaries meeting &
about 60 were at the Service.
Madame Reppmann was present
having come from Moscow for the
Conference. The papers read
seem to have given general
satisfaction.

3. Mr. Gordon's suggestion about the
Training of nurses was postponed
as he was unable to attend the
meeting.

4. It was decided that representatives
from the Teachers Guild should be
asked to attend the next meeting
of the Executive in order to discuss

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more fully the proposal for affiliation.

5. It was decided that the P.h. & G. should co-operate in any way possible with the University Extension in making known Prof. Paul Barnes' course of lectures on Child Study. The matter to be discussed at the London Local Secretaries meeting.

6. Mrs. Franklin reported she had been to a good meeting at Warrington, & Mrs. Blogg at Wakefield. Lady Campbell offered to help in the formation of a Branch at Surbiton.

7. Votes of thanks to be sent to speakers & helpers at the Conference was proposed by Mrs. Carson and seconded by Mrs. Webb.

W. Franklin

June 27. 1915

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Executive Committee

Wednesday June 27th at the Office
at 5. p.m.

Present. Mrs. Franklin (chair) Mrs. Webb,
Mrs. Raynor, Mr. Clement Parsons, Lady
Campbell

3. Representatives Teachers' Guild. Mrs. Green,
Mr. Garrod & Mr. Westcott.

1. The question relating to the P.h. & G. & the Teachers' Guild was first discussed. The reasons for a closer connection between the Guild & the Union were briefly stated on a leaflet drawn up by Mr. Garrod. Mrs. Green spoke on the advisability of a closer ^{co-operation} ~~union~~ between parents & teachers, and Mr. Westcott urged the influence that a body of parents would have when acting in conjunction with teachers in modifying public opinion in matters educational, viz; such questions as examinations, scholarships etc.

Mr. Garrod gave a brief account of the objects of the Teachers Guild & spoke of the possibility of representation of one body upon the Council or Committee of the other. of the share that each might have in the Conference proceedings of each body by presenting the teachers points of view to the parents & vice versa. He maintained it would be possible & beneficial if some definite terms of alliance could be arranged between the two societies & that the fact of such an alliance should be duly published.

The representatives of the Guild then left. and the matter was further discussed.

Miss Webb urged that if the Union had remained faithful to its belief in quick, unassuming work dealing with the home training of children, such as question as amalgamation with a professional body like the

Teachers' Guild would never have arisen. Mr. Franklin maintained that it was a mistake to mix a point of view, & that she thought parents had most influence when speaking as parents alone without trying to represent two points of view each valuable in themselves.

On the other hand it was generally felt that it would be a great mistake to do anything which should enable teachers to suppose that the Union was working in opposition to them. and it was urged by Lady Campbell that more might be done at the Conference to bring teachers in touch with parents by discussing questions affecting both parents & teachers - Mr. Franklin represented ^{that} it would be impossible to alter the title of the P.T.U. by adding "allied to Teachers Guild" or some such

words, without consulting & getting the sanction of all members of the Union.

It was finally decided that Miss Blogg should write to the Secretary of the Teachers' Guild and inform him that the Union would be glad to welcome a representative from the Guild upon their ^{P.h.S.k.} Committee & that the Union would appoint a representative to act upon the Council or Committee of the Guild, but that they considered that no definite form of alliance was possible. At the same time Branch Secretaries should be asked where possible to invite members of the Guild to P.h.S.k. meetings, & the same courtesy should be extended by the Guild to P.h.S.k. members.

2. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

3. Finance was reported as follows.

<u>Total Assets.</u>		<u>Total Liabilities</u>
61.	7. 4	amounted to
Bal. at 171.	13 6	£ 121. 1. 4
Bank		
Office	5. 15. 11.	Balance. £ 117. 15. 5.
238.	16. 9	

Bills passed for payment.

Whiteley £ 16. 0. 0. Cowell. 54. 11. 7.

Rent £10. 5 Petty Cash £10 -

Wakeham ~~187~~ £ 1. 4. 6. N. of Ed. 187.

leaving an actual Balance of £78. 14. 5

4. D. Gordon's suggestion re training of Nurses was again postponed. Miss Blogg was requested to write to D. Gordon & inform him that the Committee was quite willing to take up any scheme which could be made practicable.

Mr. Franklin & Mrs. Webb
consented to act as representatives
of the P.H.S. ~~and~~ at Congress of
the National Union of Women Workers.

Branches.

Mr. Dixon's letter resigning her
post as Secretary of the Southport
Branch was read & Mrs. Blogg
was requested to suggest to her
that a meeting should be
arranged at which a Secretary
might be chosen.

Mrs. Blogg reported a satisfactory
meeting at Horwood & Mr. C. Parsons
at Harrow. Mr. Parsons also
offered to help with the formation
of a Branch at Guildford.

Letters re new Branches at
Kidderminstie, Maritzburg, Cradock
(Cape Colony) & Nelson (New Zealand)
were read.

It was decided to accept
Mrs. Rosens fee of £5.

Mrs. Blogg was instructed to
write to Mrs. Hodgson and inform
her that the Committee was
willing to pay for the 5 doz
pamphlets on "Nature Diaries"
sent for sale at the Conference.

Alfred J. Schupbach
26.7.00